The Honorable Dana Nessel G. Mennen Williams Building 525 W. Ottawa St., P.O. Box 30212 Lansing, MI 48909

Dear Attorney General Nessel:

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We are notifying you of our intention to move forward. Therefore, are we permitted to hold these events? In order to finalize these plans, we are asking for a response no later than 5:00 PM, Friday, August 21, 2020. Please respond by mail or email. <u>Sallen@wowway.com</u>; 2300 Niagara Drive, Troy, MI 48083.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Carol A. Siemon Ingham County Prosecuting Attorney 303 W. Kalamazoo St., Floor 4R Lansing, MI 48933

Dear Ms. Siemon:

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The Honorable Governor Gretchen Whitmer PO Box 30013 Lansing, MI 48909

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